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This response is to the Final Rejection dated May 2, 2006, having a shortened statutory period for response expiring on August 2, 2006. The Applicant has complied with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.116, and respectfully requests that this response be considered after final rejection.

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